

J. RAY
COUNTY JAIL
MEMPHIS, TENN



To, Hon. W. Preston Battle
Criminal Courts Bldg.
Memphis, Tenn.

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Dear Sir;

I DON'T LIKE TO BOTHER YOU AGAIN
WITH MINOR PROBLEMS, BUT IT WILL BE
NECESSARY FOR ME TO BUY SOME CLOTHING
FOR TRIAL, I JUST HAVE ON CHANGE AT
THE JAIL, EVERYTHING ELSE IS WINTER
CLOTHING AND DON'T FIT. I WOULD LIKE
YOUR PERMISSION FOR A TAILOR TO COME
IN AS I HAVE TROUBLE GETTING CLOTHING
TO FIT.

ALSO SINCE I HAVE BEEN IN HERE I
HAVE BEEN USING AN ELECTRIC RAZOR
WHICH CAUSES A RASH, SO WOULD ALSO
LIKE YOUR PERMISSION

TO USE A SAFETY RAZOR. THEY HAVE THE
SECURITY KIND THAT LOCKS THE BLADE
IN WITH A KEY.

MIR. HANES AND I DESIDED TO WRITE YOU AS
HE IS TO BUSY TO FILE A MOTION, THE STATE
JUST GAVE HIM A NEW LIST OF WITNESSES AT
THIS LATE DATE.

I WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WOULD LET ME
KNOW IF THIS IS NOT IN YOUR JURISDICTION
SO I CAN CONTACT SOMEONE ELSE BEFORE TRIAL.

IT, SEEMS THE SHERIFF OFFICE DENIED BOTH
OF THESE REQUEST BY MR. HANES.

ALSO ANY THING THE AUTHORITES DESIDES
ON IS ALLRIGHT WITH ME. THANKS

SINCERELY
James Ray